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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

Minoru SEKIGUCHI

Serial No. 09/185,550

Group Art Unit: 2747

Confirmation No. 5524

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For: DATA ANALYSIS AND DEVICE OPERATION BASED ON DATA ASSOCIATED WITH

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AMENDMENT

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Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed June 9, 2003, and having a period for response set to expire on September 9, 2003.

The following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted. Reconsideration of the claims is respectfully requested.